



PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 7372/70910

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

HANADA et al.

Application No.: 09/820,757

Filed: March 30, 2001

Art Unit: 1772

Examiner: Catherine Simone

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For: THERMOPLASTIC RESIN SHEET AND CONTAINER

Today's Date - February 3, 2002 - Monday
Due Date: February 1, 2003 - Saturday

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

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In response to the Office Action dated August 1, 2002, please enter this Amendment and grant the concurrently filed Petition for Extension of Time and Power of Attorney from Assignee and Revocation of Prior Powers filed January 25, 2002.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims as follows:

1. (Amended) A thermoplastic resin sheet having a thermoplastic resin expanded layer of which expansion ratio is in a range of 3 to 40 times, and cell wall density ratio is in a range of 2 to 20.

2. (Amended) A thermoplastic resin sheet having a thermoplastic resin expanded layer of which expansion ratio is in a range of 3 to 40 times, and cell wall density ratio is in a range of 6 to 20.

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